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Expedited Procedure, Group Art Unit 2623

In re-Application of:

TSUKASA SAKO, ET AL.

Application No.: 09/408,447

Filed: September 29, 1999

For: IMAGE PROCESSING APPARATUS
HAVING VARIABLE OUTPUT, METHOD,
PHOTOGRAPHING SYSTEM, CONTROLLING
METHOD FOR THE SYSTEM, AND
COMPUTER-READABLE MEMORY
HAVING THE SAME

Docket No.

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Group Art Unit: 2623

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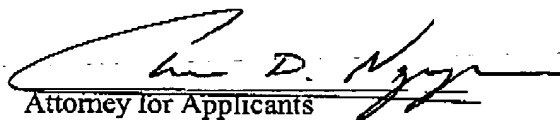
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